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**AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION:**

*Please replace paragraph [093] with the following amended paragraph:*

*[093]* If, in step S118, the consent of the corresponding dealing company is not given for the divisional shipment, it is preferably confirmed again whether the delivery of the corresponding quantity of the product is possible within the due ~~data~~date of the order for the company (or department) substantially manufacturing the corresponding product.